

before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D. C.

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In the matter of amendment to)
Section 73.202 of the FCC)
Rules, Table of FM Allotments)

R. M. _____

PETITION TO AMEND 73.202

by

KRDZ BROADCASTERS, INC.

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1. This petition seeks to have added to the FM TABLE OF ALLOTMENTS a new first local FM Channel at Eckley, Colorado. There is no FM Channel assigned to Eckley, Yuma County, Colorado. Petitioner has purchased KRDZ-AM at nearby Wray, Colorado subject to FCC approval of the license assignment. Petitioner requests that the FCC assign Channel 237C1 to Eckley, Colorado being centrally located in Yuma County and from which location petitioner, upon allotment and subsequent grant of a construction permit, which it will seek, will be able to serve the entire Yuma County Area both day and night, something KRDZ-AM can not do because of limitations on power.

2. Eckley, Colorado (population 211) and Wray, Colorado (population 1,998) and Yuma, Colorado (population 2,719) are situated along a 20-plus mile stretch of U.S. Highway 34 in Yuma County a sparsely populated rural agricultural area of Northeastern Colorado. Yuma County had a 1980 population of 8,554. A moderately powered FM Station located at Eckley also would cover Yuma to the West and Wray to the East with a City Grade 70 dbu signal. The rural residents in all of Yuma County would receive at least a 60 dbu signal.

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FOOTNOTES

3. The Spacing Study attached shows clearly that Channel 237C1 meets the requirements to be assigned to Eckley, Colorado.

4. The Petitioner respectfully requests that the FM Table of Allotments be amended to include Channel 237C1 at Eckley, Colorado in order that Petitioner might actively seek the use of said channel.

I, Robert D. Zellmer, Jr., President of KRDZ BROADCASTERS, INC. do state that the information contained in this Petition are true and correct, and that the information was obtained by me or under my direction.

Dated: January 21, 1997 Robert D. Zellmer, Jr.
Robert D. Zellmer, Jr., President
KRDZ BROADCASTERS, INC. (Petitioner)

Sworn before me this 21st Day of January, 1997.

James L. Raske Notary Public, State of Colorado.

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Wray Co 80758

My Commission Expires
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ROCKY MOUNTAIN BROADCASTING
GREELEY, COPage 1
January 21, 1997

FM Spacing study

Title: ECKLEY, CO
Channel 237C1 (95.3 MHz)
Database: DW 01/13/97Latitude: 40-06-48
Longitude: 102-29-18
Safety zone: 100 km

Call	Auth	Licensee name	Chan	ERP	Alt	Latitude	Br-to	Dist.	Req.
City of License	St	FCC File no.	Freq	EA	m	Longitude	-from	(km)	(km)
KRKS-FM LIC	SALEM MEDIA OF COLORADO,	234C	100DA	40-04-19	269.8	244.4	105		
BOULDER	CO BLH-881005KA	94.7	300	105-21-14	88.0	139.4	CLEAR		
Deletion proposed; Was KHIH 12/16/93 per FCC release #221 dated 12/22/93									
KJLT-FM LIC	TRI-STATE BROADCASTING A	235C1	100	40-59-49	53.6	167.9	82		
NORTH PLATTE	NE BMLH-960327KE	94.9	230	100-52-47	234.7	85.90	CLEAR		
Was KSRZ-FM 11/26/90 per FCC release #148 dated 11/30/90; Ant: Elec. Res. Inc. SHPX-10-AC									
KRDO-FM LIC	PIKES PEAKS BROADCASTING	236C	96	38-44-47	234.0	254.4	209		
COLORADO SPRINGS	CO	95.1	613	104-51-37	52.5	45.44	CLEAR		
KCGY LIC	GOWDY FM 95 INCORPORATED	236C	100	41-18-34	299.0	283.6	209		
LARAMIE	WY	95.1	325	105-27-11	117.1	74.56	CLEAR		
KKAN-FM LIC	UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT	237A	3	39-47-32	96.5	272.1	200		
PHILLIPSBURG	KS BLH-840612CK	95.3	45	99-19-55	278.6	72.07	CLEAR		
KSDZ LIC	DJ BROADCASTING, INC.	238C1	60	42-47-56	3.6	298.9	177		
GORDON	NE BLH-951013KC	95.5	95	102-15-40	183.7	121.9	CLEAR		
KHIH LIC	NOBLE BROADCAST OF SEATT	239C	100DA	39-43-59	260.7	238.7	105		
DENVER	CO BMLH-850717Z2	95.7	490	105-14-10	78.9	133.7	CLEAR		
Was KHOW-FM 12/28/93 per FCC release #222 dated 01/31/94									
KHUG LIC	LORETTA L. FARRIER	240A	2.60	38-02-05	205.1	254.2	75		
ROCKY FORD	CO	95.9	29	103-43-13	24.3	179.2	CLEAR		
Deletion proposed; DOC-85-382; Was KAVI-FM 03/22/93 per FCC release #200 dated 03/12/93									
KAAQ LIC	EAGLE COMM. OF NEBRASKA,	290C1	100	41-50-29	345.6	198.4	34		
ALLIANCE	NE BLH-851003KA	105.9	215	103-05-07	165.2	164.4	CLEAR		
KNFO LIC	L & B BROADCASTING, LLC	291A	2	39-18-55	258.4	393.6	22		
BASALT	CO BLH-950710KD	106.1	111	106-57-36	75.5	371.6	CLEAR		
Was KVYT 05/08/95 per FCC release #254 dated 05/12/95; Ant: Shiveley 6813-2R									

>> End of channel 237C1 study <<

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GREELEY, CO

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Safety zone: 100 km

Call	Auth	Licensee name	Chan	ERP-kW	Latitude	Br-to	Dist.	Req.
City of License	St	FCC File no.	Freq	EAH-m	Longitude	-from	(km)	(km)
PRM Boulder	DEL	Salem Media of Colorado, CO DOC-96-64	234C 94.7		40-04-19 105-21-14	269.8 88.0	244.4 139.4	105 CLEAR
KJLT-FM LIC North Platte		Tri-State Broadcasting A NE BLH-941109KC	235C1 94.9	100 230	40-59-49 100-52-47	53.6 234.7	167.9 85.90	82 CLEAR
ALLOC Colorado Springs		CO	236C 95.1		38-44-47 104-51-37	234.0 52.5	254.4 45.44	209 CLEAR
KRDO-FM LIC Colorado Springs		Pikes Peak Broadcasting CO BMLH-830307AG	236C 95.1	96 613	38-44-47 104-51-37	234.0 52.5	254.4 45.44	209 CLEAR
ALLOC Laramie		WY	236C 95.1		41-18-34 105-27-11	299.0 117.1	283.6 74.56	209 CLEAR
KCGY LIC Laramie		Curt Gowdy Broadcasting WY BLH-831107AS	236C 95.1	100 326	41-18-34 105-27-11	299.0 117.1	283.6 74.56	209 CLEAR
ALLOC Phillipsburg		KS	237A 95.3		39-47-32 99-19-55	96.5 278.6	272.1 72.07	200 CLEAR
KKAN-FM LIC Phillipsburg		Barracuda Broadcasting, KS BLH-840612CK	237A 95.3	3 45	39-47-32 99-19-55	96.5 278.6	272.1 72.07	200 CLEAR
ALLOC Rocky Ford		CO DOC-85-382	238C1 95.5		38-02-05 103-43-13	205.1 24.3	254.2 77.19	177 CLEAR
ALLOC Denver		CO	239C 95.7		39-43-59 105-14-10	260.7 78.9	238.7 133.7	105 CLEAR
KHUG LIC Rocky Ford		Loretta L. Farrier CO BLH-3261	240A 95.9	2.60 29	38-02-05 103-43-13	205.1 24.3	254.2 179.2	75 CLEAR
KAAQ LIC Alliance		KLOE, Inc. NE BLH-851003KA	290C1 105.9	100 215	41-50-29 103-05-07	345.6 165.2	198.4 164.4	34 CLEAR
KNFO Basalt	LIC	L & B BROADCASTING, LLC CO BLH-950710KD	291A 106.1	2 111	39-18-55 106-57-36	258.4 75.5	393.6 371.6	22 CLEAR

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